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## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 840 By Baird

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Coach Al Rodd and the Anderson County girls' track and field team on winning the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association Class A-AA state championship.

WHEREAS, to be successful at the challenging sport of track and field requires hard work, tremendous agility, and extraordinary dedication; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee has a long and rich tradition of excellent track teams, and the Anderson County High School girls' track and field team, which won the 2000 Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association Class A-AA state championship, has added to that cherished tradition; and

WHEREAS, this was the first time that the school has won the coveted state track and field title; and

WHEREAS, highly regarded Coach Al Rodd has expertly trained his team members to be champions on the field and off; and

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WHEREAS, the Anderson County Lady Mavericks were led by Josie Hahn, who won the state Pentathlon in dominating fashion, and the outstanding school relay team, which came through with key points; and

WHEREAS, the additional members of the team were Dyana Stooksbury, Katherine Emert, Kendra Rhyne, Meeghan Poore, Amanda Lane, Jessica Allred, Rachel Brubaker, Chelsea Freeman, Heida Poore, Mary Beth Lewis, Lori Purkey, and Casey Prosise; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we pause in our deliberations to commemorate the accomplishments of this fine team; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we honor and congratulate Coach Al Rodd and the Anderson County High School girls' track and field team on winning the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association Class A-AA state championship, and wish them well in their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That appropriate copies of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copies.

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